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THE "NEVER BEFORE" INTERVIEWS

ONE SUBJECT THAT I WAS ALWAYS STUCK ON WAS THE TESTIMONY OF RETIRED DALLAS PATROLMAN, J.W. FOSTER. HE TOLD WARREN COMMISION LAWYER JOESPH BALL THAT HE " WORKED HIS WAY OVER TO THE SOUTH SIDE OF ELM ST, TO SEE IF ANY SHOTS HAD HIT THE TURF." "WERE YOU SUCESSFUL?" "YES, REPLIED FOSTER, I SAW WHERE THEY CAUGHT THE CORNER OF THE MANHOLE COVER, AND WENT INTO THE TURF." WE ALSO HAVE THE FAMOUS PICTURE OF FOSTER WITH BUDDY WALTHERS AND UNIDENTIFIED F.B.I. MAN, (PER CHIEF JESSE CURRY). WE ALSO HAVE PICTURES THAT APPEAR TO SHOW WALTHERS AND F.B.I. MAN PICKING UP SOMETHING FROM THE GROUND. TWO OTHER BYSTANDERS, MR. AND MRS. WAYNE AND EDNA HARTMAN SAW A BULLET MARK BY WHERE JEAN HILL WAS STANDING AND REPORTED IT TO THE F.B.I. THE F.B.I. TOLD THE HARTMANS, THE MARK THEY SAW MUST OF BEEN CAUSED BY A BONE FRAGMENT FROM KENNEDY'S HEAD. THIS SEEMED RATHER ODD TO THEM, BUT DECIDED TO FORGET THE WHOLE INCIDENT, PER REQUEST OF THEIR SON, WHO WORKED FOR THE SECERT SERVICE. JEAN HILL REPORTED THAT THE SECERT SERVICE MAN ASKED HER, "WHAT SHE THOUGHT ABOUT THE BULLET THAT HIT BY HER". I WANTED TO GO TO DALLAS TO CONCUR THAT THIS WAS TRUE AND GET THESE PEOPLE ON FILM. BESIDES BEING 100% TRUE, THE HARTMANS TOLD ME THEY HAD NEVER BEEN INTERVIEWED ON FILM BY ANYONE. J.W. FOSTER TOLD ME THE SAME THING, ALTHOUGH HE HAS BEEN MENTIONED IN SEVERAL BOOKS AND THE HARTMANS ONLY IN "CROSSFIRE" (JIM MARRS) PAGE 315. I SENT THESE FILMED INTERVIEWS TO CURRENT AFFAIR AND HARD COPY AND I AM WAITING FOR A DECISION. PER MY REQUEST, THE HARTMANS WENT TO THE A.S.K. CONFERENCE IN NOVEMBER. THE BOTTOM LINE IS JAMES TAUGE'S WOUND WAS BECAUSE OF A BULLET HITTING THE MAIN ST. CURB, WHICH CHANGED THE WARREN REPORT. THESE TWO WITNESSES CONFIRMED ADDITIONAL SHOTS!

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